## **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 371**

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A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Samantha McElfresh, 2009 Salutatorian of Lebanon High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Samantha McElfresh is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2009 graduating class at Lebanon High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Samantha has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ms. McElfresh has earned an exemplary 4.41 grade point average while standing as a member of the National Honors Society and the Beta Club; and

WHEREAS, Samantha's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success: and

WHEREAS, her noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Margie and Alan McElfresh, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Samantha McElfresh's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2009 Lebanon High School Salutatorian, Samantha McElfresh, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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